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Application Number: 10/082,314) Art Unit 2627
Filed: February 26, 2002)
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INDIRECT SEMICONDUCTOR LASER CONTAINING)
AN ASYMMETRIC QUANTUM WELL STRUCTURE)
(AS AMENDED))
Attorney Docket No. ASAM.0053)

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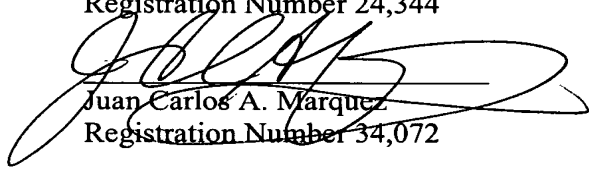
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Hereinbelow is a summary of the personal interview conducted with the Examiner in connection with the above-referenced application.

Interview Date: July 5, 2007
Interview Time: Telephonic
Attendees: Examiner Adam R. Giesy, SPE Wayne R. Young
Juan Carlos A. Marquez
Matter Discussed: Proposed claim amendments and supporting arguments
Prior art of record
Exhibits shown: None

Discussion/Agreements Reached:

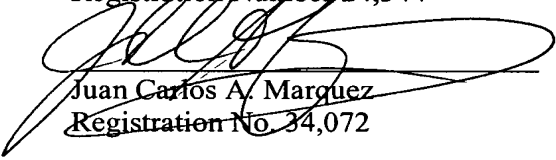
Applicants' representative and the Examiner discussed the response to the Office Action. In the response, Applicants had proposed claim amendments and argued the distinctive features of the claimed invention from all the prior art cited. During the interview, no agreement was reached regarding the allowability of the claims.

Conclusion

Applicants respectfully thank the Examiner and his SPE for their consideration in conducting the above-discussed telephone interview with the Applicants' representative. Should there be any outstanding issues requiring discussion that would further the prosecution and allowance of the above-captioned application, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' representative at the address and telephone number indicated below.

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